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PETITION TO EXTEND TIME

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Official Action dated April 24, 2006 which expired July 24, 2006, be extended two (2) months to September 24, 2006.

The statutory fee for this extension (\$225.00) is included in the enclosed check for the amendment fee. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

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